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OVERSEA TRADE

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

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This bulletin shows direct trade between overseas countries and South Australia. INTERSTATE TRADE AND OVERSEA TRADE VIA OTHER STATES IS EXCLUDED. The figures are preliminary and subject to revision.

Because of their wide variety imports have been grouped - this makes it impracticable to publish a table of quantities as there is often no appropriate single unit of quantity. For similar reasons the first table excludes a number of export items.

Value of exports is expressed \$A f.o.b. or its equivalent at port of shipment; value of imports is "transaction value" \$A f.o.b. or "domestic value" \$A f.o.b. at port of shipment, whichever is the higher.

The values of export items include the values of outside packages (containers and crates). For imports the value of outside packages is recorded as a separate item.

All values in this issue are expressed in decimal currency (\$2=£1). Any discrepancies between totals and sums of components are due to rounding.

TABLE 1 - QUANTITIES OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

| Principal Commodities | Unit | Three months ended 31st March | | Nine months ended 31st March | |
|---|------------|----------------------------------|--------|---------------------------------|---------|
| | | 1966 | 1967 | 1966 | 1967 |
| <u>Food and live animals</u> | | | | | |
| Meat - Beef | '000 lb. | 1,261 | 2,874 | 4,191 | 9,436 |
| Lamb | '000 lb. | 255 | 137 | 6,909 | 2,480 |
| Butter | '000 lb. | 229 | 71 | 591 | 78 |
| Cheese | '000 lb. | 5,546 | 3,256 | 16,476 | 11,001 |
| Grain - Wheat | '000 bush. | 8,842 | 14,760 | 25,021 | 27,336 |
| Barley | '000 bush. | 3,103 | 4,370 | 4,432 | 5,287 |
| Flour | ton | 14,968 | 13,733 | 47,282 | 35,806 |
| Fruit, Dried - Raisins | '000 lb. | 1,545 | 875 | 20,204 | 11,023 |
| Other | '000 lb. | 1,573 | 1,505 | 9,561 | 5,804 |
| Preserved and pulped | '000 lb. | 8,934 | 7,204 | 33,356 | 28,369 |
| <u>Beverages and tobacco</u> | | | | | |
| Beverages - Wine | '000 gal. | 316 | 309 | 1,309 | 1,215 |
| Spirituuous liquors | pf. gal. | 29,181 | 17,526 | 68,290 | 74,702 |
| <u>Crude materials, inedible</u> | | | | | |
| Wool - Greasy | '000 lb. | 44,882 | 44,141 | 142,165 | 130,774 |
| Other | '000 lb. | 2,442 | 3,316 | 9,888 | 9,043 |
| Gypsum | '000 cwt | 850 | 858 | 2,500 | 3,448 |
| Salt | '000 cwt | 193 | 20 | 1,861 | 1,533 |
| Copper | '000 cwt | 96 | 96 | 363 | 399 |
| Lead and silver-lead | '000 cwt | 445 | 476 | 1,262 | 988 |
| Zinc | '000 cwt | 1,235 | 1,052 | 2,991 | 2,736 |
| Iron and steel scrap | '000 cwt | 61 | 515 | 417 | 930 |
| <u>Animal and vegetable oils and fats</u> | | | | | |
| Tallow | '000 cwt | 33 | 60 | 100 | 144 |
| <u>Manufactured goods</u> | | | | | |
| Lead and lead alloys, unworked | '000 cwt | 870 | 683 | 2,451 | 2,284 |

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TABLE 2 - VALUE OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

| Principal Commodities | Three Months Ended 31st March | | Nine Months Ended 31st March | |
|--|----------------------------------|--------|---------------------------------|---------|
| | 1966 | 1967 | 1966 | 1967 |
| | \$'000 | | | |
| <u>Food and live animals</u> | | | | |
| Meat - Beef | 372 | 1,024 | 1,207 | 3,222 |
| Lamb | 54 | 33 | 1,209 | 416 |
| Other | 688 | 973 | 1,704 | 2,669 |
| Butter | 50 | 17 | 167 | 18 |
| Cheese | 930 | 635 | 3,171 | 2,378 |
| Fish and fish preparations | 656 | 810 | 1,413 | 1,049 |
| Grain - Wheat | 12,976 | 22,778 | 35,294 | 42,275 |
| Barley | 3,523 | 5,224 | 5,048 | 6,270 |
| Flour | 946 | 862 | 2,935 | 2,392 |
| Fruit - Fresh | 144 | 85 | 882 | 802 |
| Dried - Raisins | 218 | 107 | 3,015 | 1,570 |
| Other | 379 | 247 | 1,994 | 1,065 |
| Preserved and pulped | 1,057 | 912 | 3,840 | 3,421 |
| Other food and live animals | 727 | 1,662 | 2,303 | 3,324 |
| <u>Beverages and tobacco</u> | | | | |
| Beverages - Wine | 533 | 501 | 2,099 | 2,055 |
| Spirituous liquors | 116 | 62 | 300 | 322 |
| Other | - | 11 | 69 | 18 |
| <u>Crude materials, inedible</u> | | | | |
| Hides and skins | 1,810 | 1,404 | 6,500 | 6,711 |
| Wool - Greasy | 23,664 | 22,263 | 68,761 | 67,416 |
| Other | 1,939 | 2,235 | 7,319 | 7,248 |
| Gypsum | 179 | 165 | 596 | 718 |
| Salt | 75 | 16 | 427 | 349 |
| Metallic ores and metal scrap - | | | | |
| Metallic ores - Copper | 1,034 | 1,245 | 3,582 | 5,331 |
| Lead and silver-lead | 3,952 | 4,340 | 11,393 | 10,192 |
| Zinc | 4,138 | 4,193 | 9,931 | 9,662 |
| Iron and steel scrap | 105 | 747 | 690 | 1,478 |
| Other ores and scrap | 1,088 | 1,334 | 3,145 | 3,962 |
| Other crude materials | 324 | 323 | 418 | 923 |
| <u>Mineral fuels, lubricants</u> | 300 | 332 | 417 | 987 |
| <u>Animal and vegetable oils and fats</u> | | | | |
| Tallow | 281 | 401 | 863 | 1,008 |
| Other | 14 | 23 | 86 | 79 |
| <u>Chemicals</u> | 124 | 78 | 400 | 323 |
| <u>Manufactured goods</u> | | | | |
| Lead and lead alloys, unworked | 11,224 | 7,028 | 31,545 | 25,156 |
| Other | 3,462 | 5,225 | 11,619 | 13,236 |
| <u>Machinery and transport equipment</u> | 1,550 | 2,993 | 4,221 | 11,453 |
| <u>Miscellaneous manufactured articles</u> | 77 | 420 | 181 | 941 |
| <u>Commodities and transactions not classified to kind</u> | 236 | 252 | 853 | 1,282 |
| TOTAL EXPORTS | 78,946 | 90,963 | 229,596 | 241,719 |

- Nil or less than \$500.

TABLE 3 - VALUE OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES IMPORTED : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

| Principal Commodities | Three Months Ended 31st March | | Nine Months Ended 31st March | |
|--|----------------------------------|--------|---------------------------------|---------|
| | 1966 | 1967 | 1966 | 1967 |
| | \$'000 | | | |
| <u>Food and live animals</u> | | | | |
| Fish and fish preparations | 479 | 508 | 1,344 | 1,445 |
| Fruit and vegetables | 148 | 169 | 491 | 659 |
| Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices | 407 | 274 | 1,104 | 866 |
| Other | 165 | 351 | 602 | 1,007 |
| <u>Beverages and tobacco</u> | | | | |
| Beverages | 58 | 55 | 249 | 238 |
| Tobacco and tobacco manufactures | 83 | 85 | 318 | 236 |
| <u>Crude materials, inedible</u> | | | | |
| Crude rubber | 245 | 210 | 842 | 854 |
| Wood, timber and cork | 1,000 | 708 | 4,801 | 3,458 |
| Pulp and waste paper | 202 | 287 | 615 | 762 |
| Textile fibres and waste | 449 | 481 | 1,660 | 1,141 |
| Crude fertilizers and crude minerals | 1,097 | 1,538 | 3,105 | 4,265 |
| Other | 233 | 223 | 798 | 658 |
| <u>Mineral fuels, lubricants</u> | | | | |
| Petroleum and petroleum products | 5,612 | 5,198 | 17,683 | 18,802 |
| Other | 1 | 2 | 204 | 7 |
| <u>Animal and vegetable oils and fats</u> | | | | |
| Fixed vegetable oils and fats | 130 | 180 | 456 | 401 |
| Other | 9 | 15 | 25 | 31 |
| <u>Chemicals</u> | | | | |
| Chemical elements and compounds | 638 | 1,266 | 1,832 | 2,321 |
| Medicinal and pharmaceutical products | 135 | 213 | 379 | 475 |
| Fertilizers, manufactured | 135 | 62 | 240 | 214 |
| Plastic materials and artificial resins | 476 | 484 | 1,779 | 1,484 |
| Other | 740 | 1,052 | 2,254 | 2,737 |
| <u>Manufactured goods</u> | | | | |
| Leather, leather manufactures | 12 | 37 | 49 | 90 |
| Rubber manufactures | 482 | 420 | 1,529 | 1,279 |
| Wood and cork manufactures | 180 | 313 | 676 | 808 |
| Paper, paperboard and manufactures | 952 | 1,154 | 3,596 | 3,318 |
| Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles | 2,699 | 2,472 | 10,018 | 8,465 |
| Non-metallic mineral manufactures | 1,013 | 882 | 3,472 | 3,201 |
| Iron and steel | 1,843 | 1,016 | 6,447 | 2,955 |
| Non-ferrous metals | 179 | 269 | 679 | 819 |
| Manufactures of metal n.e.s. | 848 | 1,959 | 2,976 | 4,315 |
| <u>Machinery and transport equipment</u> | | | | |
| Machinery, other than electric | 11,239 | 10,488 | 35,690 | 32,874 |
| Electrical machinery and appliances | 4,393 | 3,283 | 12,093 | 11,836 |
| Transport equipment | 6,196 | 5,251 | 24,036 | 19,599 |
| <u>Miscellaneous manufactured articles</u> | | | | |
| Professional, scientific and controlling instruments; photographic and optical goods; watches and clocks | 517 | 713 | 1,988 | 2,058 |
| Other | 1,449 | 1,495 | 4,876 | 5,138 |
| <u>Commodities and transactions not classified to kind</u> | 2,132 | 1,063 | 5,688 | 7,288 |
| TOTAL IMPORTS | 46,578 | 44,176 | 154,590 | 146,105 |

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